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RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 6, 2006 (copy enclosed), which response is being made on or before November 6, 2006.

Please find attached hereto a properly signed copy of the amendment filed on May 1, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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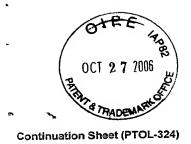
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